

Arizona Future Problem Solving Winter Workshop

Looking for a Program incorporating Arizona College and Career Ready Standards and one that enhances critical and creative thinking???

Then look at Arizona Future Problem Solving (AZFPS)!!!

We are an affiliate of FPSPI, Future Problem Solving Program International

Arizona Future Problem Solving announces a winter workshop for Teachers, Parents, and AZFPS Coaches (prospective and current ones).

- January 30, 2016 from 8:30- 3:30
ASU West
4701 W Thunderbird Rd., Glendale, AZ 85306
Sands Building, Rm. #225
- Cost is \$45 per person and \$10 per person for additional people from one school/district. Payment may be made by purchase order, cash or check.

The workshop will cover the Creative Problem Solving Process as used in the FPS Program, vocabulary, techniques, and tools for FPSP and how to incorporate the FPS model into an educational program K-12. Arizona College and Career Ready Standards are covered using the Future Problem Solving Program.

- Attendees will receive Recertification and Gifted Endorsement credit hours.
- Snacks will be provided. Attendees should bring a sack lunch.

The presenter, Joanne Spiess has been coaching FPS for 12 years, and has taken State Champions to the International Conference for 11 years.

Future Problem Solving is *such* a fantastic program because:

- ✚ It teaches kids how to think; not what to think
- ✚ It deals with real world, societal issues. Topics run the gamut from artificial intelligence *to* freedom of speech *to* cultural prejudice *to* organ donation *to* space exploration *to* pandemic *to*
- ✚ It involves kids in making many connections to the world by building on ties with aspects of society such as technology, education, ethics, economics, law and justice, defense, basic needs, physical & psychological health, arts, recreation, communication, social relationships, business & commerce . . . to name a few!
- ✚ The program has a methodology, yet the participants must be creative and broad thinking.

To register, contact Joanne Spiess: jspiess@ccusd93.org, or (602) 535-6215

Registration intent must be received by January 23.